

2007 CONFERENCE OF ARMY HISTORIANS

Holiday Inn Hotel & Suites, Alexandria - Historic District,
Alexandria, Virginia

7–9 August 2007

Monday, 6 August

- 1300–1700 Registration
- 1600–1800 Command Historian Council Meeting

Tuesday, 7 August

- 0700–1330 Registration
- 0800–0900 Opening Session: The State of the Army Historical
Program

Dr. Jeffrey J. Clarke, Director, U.S. Army Center of
Military History (CMH)

0900–1030 **Workshop 1, Documenting GWOT**

Chair: Mr. Stephen Lofgren, Histories Division, CMH
Dr. Donald P. Wright, U.S. Army Combined Arms Center,
Combat Studies Institute
On Point II and the Writing of Contemporary History
Dr. Dale R. Steinhauer, Chief, Research Division, Center
for Army Lessons Learned
CALL in OEF and OIF
Ms. Dena Everett, Field Programs and Historical Services
Division, CMH
MHD Collections

- 1030–1045 Coffee Break

1045–1215 **Workshop 2, National Security Personnel System
(NSPS) Update**

Chair: Dr. Richard W. Stewart, Chief Historian, CMH

Presenter: TBD

NSPS Overview

COL (Ret.) Chuck Mugno, Director, The Institute of
Heraldry

1215–1315 Lunch on Own

1315–1445 **Workshop 3, Electronic Archives/Digitization**

Chair: Ms. Donna Everett, Field Programs and Historical Services
Division, CMH

LTC (Ret.) Thomas L. Hendrix, Chief, Collections Division,
U.S. Army Military History Institute (MHI), U.S. Army
Heritage and Education Center

Digitization at AHEC

Ms. Donna Everett, Field Programs and Historical Services
Division, CMH

Digitization at CMH

Mr. James Allen Knechtmann, Operational Archives, Naval
Historical Center

Digitization at NHC

1445–1500 Coffee Break

1500–1630 **Workshop 4, Deployed MHD/Historian**

Chair: Dr. Robert S. Rush, Field Programs and Historical Services
Division, CMH

Mr. William Epley, Histories Division, CMH

Thoughts from a Deployed Operational Historian

MAJ David Hanselman, Director, U.S. Army
Transportation Museum

Thoughts from a Deployed MHD Commander

CPT James A. Page, Division Historian, 101st Airborne
Division

Thoughts from a Deployed Division Historian

1730–1830 Reception Cosponsored by the Center of Military History and the Army Historical Foundation

Hors d'oeuvres and Cash Bar

Wednesday, 8 August

0845–1015 Two Concurrent Sessions

Session A1: Medical Aspects of the U.S. Army and Irregular Warfare

Chair: MAJ Richard Prior, AN, Army Nurse Corps Historian,
Office of Medical History, Office of The Surgeon
General, U.S. Army/Headquarters, U.S. Army Medical
Command

COL Warren D. Farr, MC, Surgeon, U.S. Special
Operations Command

Medical Support to Guerrilla Forces

COL Robert S. Driscoll, MS, Director/Instructor of
Health Services Management, U.S. Army War College
*Special Forces Medical Surveillance, Vietnam,
1965–1968*

Dr. Sanders Marble, Office of Medical History, Office of
The Surgeon General, U.S. Army/Headquarters, U.S.
Army Medical Command
*Medical Support for Pershing's Punitive Expedition,
1916–1917*

Session A2: American Indian Warfare

Chair: Dr. William A. Dobak, Histories Division, CMH
Dr. Matthew T. Percy, Office of History, U.S. Army
Corps of Engineers
*The Ruthless Hand of War: Andrew A. Humphreys in
the Second Seminole War*

Dr. Keir B. Sterling, Command Historian, U.S. Army
Combined Arms Support Command and Fort Lee
*Gatewood and Geronimo Revisited: Putting the
Record Straight*

Mr. Kendall D. Gott, U.S. Army Combat Studies Institute
*The Victorio Campaign: Hunting Down an Elusive
Enemy*

Mr. Kelvin Crow, Command History Office, Combined
Arms Center and Fort Leavenworth
*The Nez Perce Internment at Fort Leavenworth and
Popular Memory*

1015–1030 Coffee Break

1030–1200 Two Concurrent Sessions

Session B1: Interventions and Expeditions

Chair: Mr. William Epley, Histories Division, CMH
MAJ Thomas A. Bialkowski, U.S. Army Reserve
*The U.S. Army and Cross-Border Terrorism During
the Mexican Revolution/Civil War: 1910–1920*
Dr. Richard Carrier, Senior Lecturer in International
History and History of War, Royal Military College of
Canada
*Blindness and Contingencies: Italian Failure in
Ethiopia (1936–1940)*

Session B2: Irregular Warfare in Southeast Asia

Chair: Mr. Glenn F. Williams, Histories Division, CMH
Dr. Leo J. Daugherty, U.S. Army Accessions Command
Historian
*The Army's First Jungle Warrior: The Career of
Maj. Gen. Frank D. Merrill and the Concept
of Long-Range Penetration in Burma During
World War II*
LTC (Ret.) Mark Reardon, Field Programs and Historical
Services Division, CMH
*U.S. Army Counterinsurgency Operations in Korea,
1948–1952*
CPT Joel C. Evans, 1-21st Infantry, 25th Infantry
Division
*We Were Real Experts in Unconventional Warfare:
U.S. Army Special Forces Doctrine and Its
Application During the Vietnam War*

1200–1315 Lunch on Own

1315–1445 Two Concurrent Sessions

Session C1: Virtual Staff Ride Technology

Chair: COL Gregory R. Trnka, Field Programs and Historical
Services Division, CMH
Dr. Glenn Robertson, Deputy Director, U.S. Army Combined
Arms Center, Combat Studies Institute, and LTC Kevin
Kennedy, Combat Studies Institute
*A 19th Century Concept and 21st Century
Technology: The Operation IRAQI FREEDOM
Virtual Staff Ride*
COL (Ret.) Rolly Dessert and Ms. Lona Bozzay, Booz
Allen Hamilton
Gettysburg Virtual Staff Ride

Session C2: The Past Informing the Present: AHEC Goes to War

Chair: COL Robert Dalessandro, Director, AHEC
Mr. Chris Semancik, Arms and Ordnance Curator, U.S.
Army Heritage Museum, AHEC
*From Insurrection to Insurgency: A Material Culture
View*
Mr. David Keough, MHI, AHEC
*Learning from Vietnam: Resources and Sources for
the Study of Counterinsurgency*
Dr. Conrad Crane, Director, MHI
*Making Sausage: Creating New Counterinsurgency
Doctrine*

1445–1500 Coffee Break

1500–1630 Three Concurrent Sessions

Session D1: The American Revolution in the South: The Varieties of Irregular Warfare, 1779–1782

Chair: Dr. J. Britt McCarley, Chief Historian, U.S. Army Training
and Doctrine Command
MAJ (Ret.) Steven J. Rauch, Signal Branch Historian, U.S.
Army Signal Center
*Southern (Dis)Comfort: British Phase IV
Operations in South Carolina and Georgia,
May–September 1780*

Dr. Stephen E. Bower, Command Historian, U.S. Army
Soldier Support Institute

*Freedom's Warriors: The Army of Patriots at the
Battle of King's Mountain*

Professor Gregory J. W. Urwin, Department of History,
Temple University

*Cornwallis and the Slaves of Virginia: A New Look
at the Yorktown Campaign*

Commentator: COL (Ret.) Dr. John W. Brinsfield, U.S.
Army Chaplain Center and School

Session D2: Stability and Contingency Operations

Chair: Mr. Frank R. Shirer, Field Programs and Historical Services
Division, CMH

Mr. John McGrath, U.S. Army Combat Studies Institute
*Historical Conclusions on Troop Density in
Contingency Operations*

Dr. Mason Read Schaefer, Field Programs and Historical
Services Division, CMH

*A Blind Pig in Detroit: The U.S. Army Responds to
an Urban Riot, 1967*

COL James P. Herson Jr., Commander, 8th
Transportation Brigade

Logistics in MOOTW in the Balkans

Session D3: Irregular Warfare During the American Civil War

Chair: Dr. Mark Bradley, Histories Division, CMH

Dr. Stephen Rockenbach, Assistant Professor of History,
Virginia State University

*The Spoliation of Defenseless Farmers and Villagers:
The Long-Term Effects of John Hunt Morgan's
Raid on an Indiana Community*

Mr. Jeffery K. Smart, Command Historian, U.S. Army
Research, Development, and Engineering Command
*Chemical and Biological Warfare Research and
Development During the Civil War*

CW3 Michael Werner, Quartermaster/Historian, 157th
Combat Sustainment Support Brigade

*The Great Locomotive Chase of 1862—Heroes or
Saboteurs?*

Mr. Barton A. Myers, Department of History, University of
Georgia
*U.S. Army Counter-Guerrilla Warfare in Confederate
North Carolina*

Thursday, 9 August

0845–1015 Three Concurrent Sessions

Session E1: U.S. Army in the Cold War

Chair: Mr. Bruce H. Siemon, Chief Historian, U.S. Army Europe
and Seventh Army

Dr. M. David Egan, Professor Emeritus, Clemson
University

*Security at U.S. Army Ammunition Depots in France
(1949–1967)*

Dr. Daryl Blanchard, Professor, College of Engineering,
University of Toledo

*USAREUR and Conditions in the South Tyrol in the
1960s*

Mr. Ted Ballard, CMH (Retired)

*Lessons Learned and Forgotten: Convoy Security in
Vietnam on QL19*

1015–1030 Coffee Break

Session E2: Legal and Civil-Military Implications

Chair: Dr. Jeffrey J. Clarke, Director, CMH

Rear Admiral Dr. Stylianos Politis, Vice President,
Hellenic Commission on Military History

*The Greek Freedom Fighters of 1821 and Their
Status Under International Law*

Mr. Fred L. Borch, The Judge Advocate General's Legal
Center and School

*The History of Military Commissions in the U.S.
Army: Revolutionary War to the War on Terror*

Dr. T. W. Brocades Zaalberg, Netherland Institute for
Military History

*Civil-Military Cooperation in Irregular Warfare: The
“Dutch Approach” Compared*

Session E3: Doctrine in Irregular Warfare

Chair: Dr. Andrew J. Birtle, Histories Division, CMH
Lt. Gilles Krugler, Historical Service, French Ministry of Defense
Air-Land Coordination in Counter-Guerrilla Operations: The Impact of French Aviation in the Rif War
Mr. John W. Davis, Command Historian, U.S. Army Space and Missile Command
Once and Future Principles of War

1000–1015 Coffee Break

1030–1200 Two Concurrent Sessions

Session F1: U.S. Army Materiel Command—Logistics Support to the Warfighter

Chair: Dr. Robert G. Darius, Command Historian, U.S. Army Materiel Command
LTG William E. Mortensen, Deputy Commanding General, U.S. Army Materiel Command
From the Beginning
CSM Dan Elder, Command Sergeant Major, U.S. Army Materiel Command
Changes and Innovations
Mr. George Eaton, Command Historian, U.S. Army Sustainment Command
One Face in the Field
Ms. Melissa Ziobro, U.S. Army Communications-Electronics Life Cycle Management Command
Team C4ISR in SWA
Discussant: Dr. William T. Moye, U.S. Army Materiel Command

Session F2: Coalition Warfare

Chair: Dr. Richard G. Davis, Chief, Field Programs and Historical Services Division, CMH

Dr. Chris Madsen, Associate Professor, Department of
Defence Studies, Canadian Forces College
*Learning the Good and the Bad: Canadian Exposure
to British Small War Doctrine in South Africa,
1900–1901*

Dr. Lewis Bernstein, Command Historian, United Nations
Command/ROK–U.S. Combined Forces, Command/
U.S. Forces Korea

*The Occupation of Tianjin (1900–1902) as an
Example of Coalition Governance and
Reconstruction of a Major City*

Ms. Rachel Lea Heide, Defence Scientist/Strategic
Analyst, Directorate of Future Security Analysis,
Chief of Force Development, National Defence
Headquarters, Canada

*Developing the Canadian Art of Coalition Warfare
with a World Superpower: The Impact of the War
on Terrorism on Canada's Defence Policies*

1200–1315 Lunch on Own

1315–1445 Two Concurrent Sessions

Session G1: Warfare in the Middle East

Chair: CSM Scott Garrett, Ph.D., CMH

Mr. Russell G. Rodgers, U.S. Army Forces Command
*The Roar of Lions: The Asymmetric Campaigns of
Muhammad*

Dr. Stephen A. Bourque, U.S. Army Command and
General Staff College (CGSC)
*How Will It All End? War Termination and the 1991
War*

Dr. Ron Schleifer, Head of Communication Program,
College of Judea and Samaria, Israel
*Palestinian and Israeli PSYOP in the Second
Intifada, 2000–2005*

Session G2: Contemporary Issues

Chair: Dr. Jon Hoffman, Histories Division, CMH

LTC (Ret.) John J. O'Brien, Fort Campbell

The Song Remains the Same: A Contrast and Comparison of 101st Airborne Division Operations in Vietnam (Operation TEXAS STAR, 1970) with those in Iraq (Operation CARENTAN, 2006)

Dr. Arthur T. Coumbe, U.S. Army Cadet Command

Preparing for the Fight: ROTC Training and Education in an Era of Transformation and Conflict

Dr. Deborah Kidwell, Assistant Professor, CGSC

Contractors in the Operational Environment

1445–1500 Coffee Break

1500–1630 Two Concurrent Sessions

Session H1: Lessons from American Experiences in Irregular Warfare

Chair: Dr. Janet Valentine, Air National Guard

Mr. Thomas E. Buffenbarger, MHI, AHEC

Americans as Insurgents: Revolutionary War in South Carolina, 1780–1782

Dr. Ricardo A. Herrera, U.S. Army Combat Studies Institute

God's Will and the National Mission: American Soldiers, Agents of Empire, 1775–1848

LTC (Ret.) Sherman Fleek, Command Historian, Walter Reed Army Medical Center

Utah War: Impact and Military Lessons from a Limited Conflict

Dr. Patrick R. Jennings, Deputy Director, Center for Oral History, Department of History, U.S. Military Academy

Forlorn Hope: The Late 19th Century Military Frontier & the Making of the Modern U.S. Army

Session H2: Advisers and Indigenous Labor in Irregular Warfare

Chair: Dr. James H. Willbanks, Director, Department of Military History, CGSC

Mr. Robert Mages, MHI, AHEC

American Advisers in the Greek Civil War

Mr. Robert D. Ramsey III, U.S. Army Combat Studies Institute

Advising Indigenous Forces—American Advisers in Korea, Vietnam, and El Salvador

Mr. Eric A. Sibul, Assistant Professor of Defence Studies, Baltic Defence College, Tartu Estonia

Irregular Engineers: The Use of Indigenous Labor in the Rebuilding of Critical Infrastructure During the Korean War, 1950–1953

1800–2000 Conference Banquet

Guest Speaker: General Richard A. Cody, Vice Chief of Staff, U.S. Army